

JS 44C/SDNY

REV.

12/04/2024

**CIVIL COVER SHEET**

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**PLAINTIFFS**

Carla Rondon

**DEFENDANTS**

National Railroad Passenger Corporation

**ATTORNEYS (FIRM NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER)**Gregory S. Newman, NEWMAN, ALZALONE & NEWMAN, LLP, 95-25  
Queens Blvd., 11th Floor, Rego Park, NY 11374, 718-896-2700**ATTORNEYS (IF KNOWN)**Stephen S. Dougherty, Esquire, HOHN & SCHEUERLE, LLC, 43 West 43rd  
Street, Suite 320, New York, NY 10036-7424, 212-859-5065**CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH YOU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF CAUSE)  
(DO NOT CITE JURISDICTIONAL STATUTES UNLESS DIVERSITY)**

Torts - Other Negligence (Premises)

Has this action, case, or proceeding, or one essentially the same, been previously filed in SDNY at any time? No  Yes  (If yes, Judge Previously Assigned)

If yes, was this case Vol.  Invol.  Dismissed. No  Yes  If yes, give date \_\_\_\_\_ & Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

**IS THIS AN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CASE?**No  Yes 

(PLACE AN [X] IN ONE BOX ONLY)

**NATURE OF SUIT****TORTS****ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES**

CONTRACT	PERSONAL INJURY	PERSONAL INJURY	FORFEITURE/PENALTY	BANKRUPTCY	OTHER STATUTES
[ ] 110 INSURANCE	[ ] 310 AIRPLANE	[ ] 367 HEALTHCARE/	[ ] 625 DRUG RELATED	[ ] 422 APPEAL	[ ] 375 FALSE CLAIMS
[ ] 120 MARINE	[ ] 315 AIRPLANE PRODUCT	PHARMACEUTICAL PERSONAL	SEIZURE OF PROPERTY	28 USC 158	[ ] 376 QUI TAM
[ ] 130 MILLER ACT	LIABILITY	[ ] 365 PERSONAL INJURY	21 USC 881	[ ] 423 WITHDRAWAL	[ ] 400 STATE
[ ] 140 NEGOTIABLE	[ ] 320 ASSAULT, LIBEL &	PRODUCT LIABILITY	[ ] 1690 OTHER	28 USC 157	REAPPORTIONMENT
[ ] 150 INSTRUMENT	SLANDER	[ ] 368 ASBESTOS PERSONAL			[ ] 410 ANTITRUST
[ ] 150 RECOVERY OF	FEDERAL	INJURY PRODUCT	PROPERTY RIGHTS		[ ] 430 BANKS & BANKING
OVERPAYMENT &	EMPLOYERS'	LIABILITY			[ ] 450 COMMERCE
ENFORCEMENT	LIABILITY				[ ] 460 DEPORTATION
OF JUDGMENT	[ ] 340 MARINE	PERSONAL PROPERTY	[ ] 820 COPYRIGHTS	[ ] 880 DEFEND TRADE SECRETS ACT	[ ] 470 RACKETEER INFLU-
MEDICARE ACT	[ ] 345 MARINE PRODUCT		[ ] 830 PATENT		ENCED & CORRUPT
[ ] 152 RECOVERY OF	LIABILITY	[ ] 370 OTHER FRAUD	[ ] 835 PATENT-ABBREVIATED NEW DRUG APPLICATION		ORGANIZATION ACT
DEFAULTED	[ ] 350 MOTOR VEHICLE	[ ] 371 TRUTH IN LENDING	[ ] 840 TRADEMARK		(RICO)
STUDENT LOANS	[ ] 355 MOTOR VEHICLE			SOCIAL SECURITY	[ ] 480 CONSUMER CREDIT
(EXCL VETERANS)	PRODUCT LIABILITY				[ ] 485 TELEPHONE CONSUMER
[ ] 153 RECOVERY OF	[X] 360 OTHER PERSONAL	[ ] 380 OTHER PERSONAL	LABOR	PROTECTION ACT	
OVERPAYMENT	INJURY	PROPERTY DAMAGE			
OF VETERAN'S	[ ] 362 PERSONAL INJURY -		[ ] 710 FAIR LABOR	[ ] 861 HIA (1395ff)	
BENEFITS	MED MALPRACTICE	PRODUCT LIABILITY	STANDARDS ACT	[ ] 862 BLACK LUNG (923)	[ ] 490 CABLE/SATELLITE TV
[ ] 160 STOCKHOLDERS			[ ] 720 LABOR/MGMT	[ ] 863 DIWC/DIVW (405(g))	[ ] 850 SECURITIES/
SUITS		PRISONER PETITIONS	RELATIONS	[ ] 864 SSID TITLE XVI	COMMODITIES/
[ ] 190 OTHER		[ ] 463 ALIEN DETAINEE		[ ] 865 RSI (405(g))	EXCHANGE
CONTRACT		[ ] 510 MOTIONS TO	[ ] 740 RAILWAY LABOR ACT		[ ] 890 OTHER STATUTORY
CONTRACT		VACATE SENTENCE	[ ] 751 FAMILY MEDICAL	FEDERAL TAX SUITS	ACTIONS
PRODUCT		28 USC 2255	LEAVE ACT (FMLA)		[ ] 891 AGRICULTURAL ACTS
LIAIBILITY				[ ] 870 TAXES (U.S. Plaintiff or	[ ] 893 ENVIRONMENTAL
[ ] 196 FRANCHISE	CIVIL RIGHTS	[ ] 530 HABEAS CORPUS	Defendant)	Defendant)	MATTERS
		[ ] 535 DEATH PENALTY	LITIGATION	[ ] 871 IRS-THIRD PARTY	[ ] 895 FREEDOM OF
		[ ] 540 MANDAMUS & OTHER		26 USC 7609	INFORMATION ACT
REAL PROPERTY	[ ] 440 OTHER CIVIL RIGHTS		SECURITY ACT (ERISA)		[ ] 896 ARBITRATION
	(Non-Prisoner)				[ ] 899 ADMINISTRATIVE
			IMMIGRATION		PROCEDURE ACT/REVIEW OR
		PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS			APPEAL OF AGENCY DECISION
[ ] 210 LAND	[ ] 441 VOTING		[ ] 462 NATURALIZATION		[ ] 950 CONSTITUTIONALITY OF
CONDEMNATION	[ ] 442 EMPLOYMENT		APPLICATION		STATE STATUTES
[ ] 220 FORECLOSURE	[ ] 443 HOUSING/	[ ] 550 CIVIL RIGHTS	[ ] 465 OTHER IMMIGRATION		
[ ] 230 RENT LEASE &	ACCOMMODATIONS	[ ] 555 PRISON CONDITION	ACTIONS		
EJECTMENT	[ ] 445 AMERICANS WITH	[ ] 560 CIVIL DETAINEE			
[ ] 240 TORTS TO LAND	DISABILITIES -	CONDITIONS OF CONFINEMENT			
[ ] 245 TORT PRODUCT	EMPLOYMENT				
LIABILITY	[ ] 446 AMERICANS WITH				
[ ] 290 ALL OTHER	DISABILITIES -OTHER				
REAL PROPERTY	[ ] 448 EDUCATION				

Check if demanded in complaint:

CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION  
UNDER F.R.C.P. 23

DO YOU CLAIM THIS CASE IS RELATED TO A CIVIL CASE NOW PENDING IN S.D.N.Y.  
AS DEFINED BY LOCAL RULE FOR DIVISION OF BUSINESS 13?  
IF SO, STATE:

DEMAND \$ \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_ JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_ DOCKET NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Check YES only if demanded in complaint  
JURY DEMAND: YES NO

NOTE: You must also submit at the time of filing the Statement of Relatedness form (Form IH-32).

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|--|--|--|---|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Original Proceeding                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 Removed from State Court | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Remanded from Appellate Court | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Reinstated or Reopened                 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Transferred from (Specify District) | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 Multidistrict Litigation (Transferred) | <input type="checkbox"/> 7 Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judge |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. all parties represented |  |  |   |  |   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> b. At least one party is pro se.      |  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 Multidistrict Litigation (Direct File) |  |   |   |

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|---|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 U.S. PLAINTIFF | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 U.S. DEFENDANT | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 FEDERAL QUESTION<br>(U.S. NOT A PARTY) | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 DIVERSITY |
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IF DIVERSITY, INDICATE CITIZENSHIP BELOW.

## CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (FOR DIVERSITY CASES ONLY)

(Place an [X] in one box for Plaintiff and one box for Defendant)

CITIZEN OF THIS STATE	[ ] 1	[ ] 1	CITIZEN OR SUBJECT OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY	[ ] 3	[ ] 3	INCORPORATED and PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN ANOTHER STATE	[ ] 5	[ ] 5
CITIZEN OF ANOTHER STATE	[ ] 2	[ ] 2	INCORPORATED or PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THIS STATE	[ ] 4	[ ] 4	FOREIGN NATION	[ ] 6	[ ] 6

## PLAINTIFF(S) ADDRESS(ES) AND COUNTY(IES)

## DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS(ES) AND COUNTY(IES)

## DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS UNKNOWN

REPRESENTATION IS HEREBY MADE THAT, AT THIS TIME, I HAVE BEEN UNABLE, WITH REASONABLE DILIGENCE, TO ASCERTAIN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESSES OF THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANTS:

## COURTHOUSE ASSIGNMENT

I have reviewed Rules 18(a) and 20(a) of the Rules for the Division of Business Among District Judges, Southern District of New York, and I hereby certify that this case should be assigned to the courthouse indicated below pursuant thereto.

Check one: THIS ACTION SHOULD BE ASSIGNED TO:  WHITE PLAINS  MANHATTAN

DATE 2/13/2025

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN THIS DISTRICT

[ ] NO

[X] YES (DATE ADMITTED Mo. July Yr. 2024)  
Attorney Bar Code # 6111967

RECEIPT #

Magistrate Judge is to be designated by the Clerk of the Court.

Magistrate Judge \_\_\_\_\_ is so designated.

Tammi M. Hellwig, Clerk of Court by \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk, Dated \_\_\_\_\_.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT (NEW YORK SOUTHERN)